

WEATHER FORECAST
FOR TODAY—Light north-
erly winds and fair weather.
Last 24 hours' rainfall .00;
temperature, max. .84,
min. 69.

Sunday



Advertiser.

SUGAR—96° Test
Centrifugals, 4 255 Cts.;
Per Ton, \$85.10. 88
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THE SUNRISE FLAG IS ADVANCING TORNADO DOES GREAT DAMAGE TO ST. PAUL

THE JAPANESE ARE YET AHEAD

Both Armies Making Gains in the Campaign.

Anshanchan Taken And Port Arthur Fort Falls.



THE JAPANESE FLEET IN ACTION.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLEGRAMS.)

TOKIO, Aug. 21.—The Japanese have occupied Anshanchan. The Russians are retreating northward.

Anshanchan is a place on the railway about half way between Liaoyang and Haicheng. It is about twenty miles south of Liaoyang. The Japanese made an assault some days ago but at that time were repulsed by heavy artillery fire. The capture of Anshanchan by the Japanese means a narrowing of their semi-circular line against Liaoyang and Mukden, thus strengthening their whole fighting front.

THE ASSAULT ON PORT ARTHUR.

CHEFOO, Aug. 21. The general assault upon Port Arthur continues. It is reported that the Japanese have captured a fort twenty-five miles north of Golden Hill.

ATTACHE LEAVES FORTRESS.

TSINGTAU, Aug. 21.—The German military attache at Port Arthur has arrived here.

AFTERNOON REPORT.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 20.—The cruiser Novik has reached Saghalien Island. The Diana is reported at Saigon.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 20.—The reserves of forty-two districts and the reserve officers of the entire empire will be mobilized for the war with Japan.

CHEFOO, Aug. 20.—Desperate fighting continues at Port Arthur. A grand assault on the fortresses was made today by the Japanese and it is reported that they were repulsed.

ROYAL GODFATHERS FOR RUSSIAN HEIR APPARENT

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 21.—King Edward and the Emperor William will be godfathers of Prince Alexis, heir to the Russian throne.

A STOCKYARDS TRAGEDY.

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—One man has been killed and several injured in a riot at the stockyards.

PRESIDENT AT OYSTER BAY.

OYSTER BAY, Aug. 21.—The President has returned here.

DROVE SETTLERS AWAY FROM HAWAII NEI

One great obstacle to be overcome in connection with the bona fide settler movement is the influence of the local "knocker." It will be well to recount a flagrant instance. Some weeks ago a retired business man—a German—arrived here from the mainland with four grown sons—the women folks to follow. They set about to secure farming land near Honolulu and had decided to establish a big homestead in one of the valleys when they fell in with the knocker and received such dreadful discouragement that they broke off all negotiations and left for the bleak clime of Southern California. The "knocker" was interviewed by a town business man and only declared that he himself was dissatisfied and wanted to leave town. Asked the price of his holding he gave a figure four times more than the sum for which he had listed the property with a selling agreement. So far the Report knows, this was the end of the incident. The "knocker" is drawing a salary from the Territorial Treasury each month. Something should be done in a case like this.—Berrey's Report.

DEMOCRATS RATIFY PARKER AND DAVIS BUT BOOM IAUKEA

Attorney Kinney Vouches For Him and Weeps with Hawaiians for Political Humiliations They Have Had From Annexation Haoles.

Not a very large house greeted the Democratic spellbinders at the Orpheum last night when the St. Louis Presidential choice was ratified. There was a fair sprinkling of Republicans present. The speakers told of Republican shortcomings, Democratic virtues and of the attributes of Iaukea. Corruption and bribery were charged to the Republicans, the vacant seats in the audience were said by Iaukea to have been the result of Republican chicanery and threats of discharge from employment. Iaukea personally was lauded by Mr. Kinney as being a man absolutely above reproach and one whose financial integrity could not be attacked.

Rev. Mr. Timoteo invoked the divine blessing. A hush fell over the audience, and late comers, at its conclusion, were not certain whether the speaker should be applauded.

Then Chairman Turrill sprung a surprise. He disappeared into the wings and reappeared a moment later with a chromo picture of Parker introducing the canvas with the remark, "Our next President!" and drew feeble applause.

Mr. Turrill then addressed the audience and became so wrapt up in his eloquence that he did not notice that Fred Weed had begun to interpret his remarks into Hawaiian; when he awoke to a realization of the interruption he waved Weed aside and proceeded to lambast the Republicans in part as follows:

We meet to ratify the nomination of the winner, Alton B. Parker. One week ago the Republicans met here and to keep their courage up spoke of harmony and unity, and in praise of Roosevelt.

Harmony.—In a Republican primary no longer does Birbe hit T. McCants in the eye with hen fruit.

Unity.—Now a precinct with fifty Republican votes can cast 230 votes at a Republican primary.

The Democrats will have a convention and fight it out, and back the man that gets the nomination.

Already a tidal wave is forming at the Gulf of Mexico which will sweep up the Mississippi Valley and along the Atlantic coast, rising higher and higher, picking up the empty dinner pails, until it thunders against the northern boundary, Parker. We have delegates that sat with the most noisy and turbulent body of men that ever assembled on the face of the earth.

IAUKEA CHARGES BRIBERY.

The chairman then introduced Curtis Iaukea, who spoke in moving tones, his voice filled with tears to sway the Hawaiian portion of the audience. He spoke in part as follows:

"Fellow-citizens, lest we forget, we have a duty to perform, for the welfare of the Democratic party here is in our hands. Let us have unity, thrust our differences aside, and march to the battle to wrench from the hands of the administration the power that

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CURTIS P. IAUKEA.

GREAT DAMAGE TO ST. PAUL

Blows Away Two Theaters and a Bridge Across the Mississippi River.

Two Million Dollars' Worth of Harm Done to the Big Minnesota City—Minneapolis Does Not Escape Unscathed.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLEGRAMS.)

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 21.—A tornado passed over this city yesterday leaving five killed and thirty injured. The damage to property will reach two millions of dollars. The Tivoli and Empire theaters were swept from the ground and totally destroyed. On the Mississippi a bridge was blown over. Heavy damage has been done in Minneapolis.

LETTER-WRITER CANNOT BE FOUND

Honolulu, T. H., Aug. 20th, 1904.
Editor Advertiser: On the 20th of July there appeared in the Advertiser a letter, signed by one F. C. Mendall, complaining of the high prices charged by the retail merchants of Honolulu and of the indifferent treatment he, as a customer, had received in the stores of the city.

The present writer at once addressed a letter to Mr. Mendall, at the address given, stating that his communication had been read with interest and requesting the favor of a personal call with the end in view of ascertaining more definitely the cause of complaint.

This morning the letter was returned from the postoffice with the information that a person by the name of F. C. Mendall was not to be found in Honolulu.

It would appear, therefore, that you have been imposed upon by an anonymous writer and that the merchants of the city have been unjustly accused of discourtesy and disrespect to prospective customers.

Yours very truly,
GEO. W. SMITH,
President Merchants' Association.

[The published request of this paper for Mr. Mendall to call has not been answered. The letter signed F. C. Mendall reached this office through the mails and was accepted in good faith. The name is evidently a non-de-plume.—Ed. Adv.]

ARCHITECTS SKETCHING CATHEDRAL PLANS

Architects are sketching preliminary plans for the new Catholic Cathedral based on the proposition made by August Dreier a few weeks since under which he is inclined to erect a new structure costing in the neighborhood of \$150,000.

One of the good features of the proposed new cathedral is the group of chimneys to be placed in the tallest spire. It is thought that twenty-four chimneys would be a number upon which sacred music could be softly pealed over the city at various hours of the day.

SUNDAY CONCERT AT THE CAPITOL

This afternoon the public Sunday concert will be at the Capitol grounds, beginning at 3 o'clock with the following program:

PART I.
"The Old Hundred."
Overture—"Life a Dream"....Ellenberg
Ballad—"True Love"....Kretschmar
Grand Selection—"Faust"....Gounod
Vocal—Four Hawaiian Songs.....
.....arr. by Berger
PART II.
Overture—"Tell".....Rossini
Selection—"Coppelia".....Delibes
Intermezzo—"The Gondolier"....Powell
Finale—"Astorga".....Aberti
"The Star Spangled Banner."

THE FIFTH DISTRICT DELEGATES MEET

The Republican delegates from the Fifth District held a caucus at the headquarters last night. T. McCants Stewart was chairman and N. Fernandez secretary. Of the twenty-seven in the delegation two were absent and one represented by proxy. An announcement was made that delegates would leave for Hilo August 30 and that the convention would be held on the 1st and 2nd of September. A resolution was passed that the district members of the central committee be apportioned as follows: To the 1st, 2nd and 3rd precincts, one; to the 4th, 5th and 6th, one; to the 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th, one each.

It was voted that delegates who can not go to the convention give their proxies as far as possible to those residing in the district. A resolution introduced by Delegate Lane endorsing Rev. Stephen L. Desha for temporary chairman of the Territorial convention, was carried. It was voted that the sense of the caucus was that the committees on credentials and on rules and permanent organization should consist of one member from each representative district and that the districts should choose their own representatives. For officers of the central committee the caucus endorsed A. G. M. Robertson for chairman, John C. Lane for vice-chairman and E. Faxon Bishop for treasurer. No recommendation for secretary was made. The sentiment of the caucus favored Kuhio for Congress.

CRAWFORD WILL CUT OFF QUEUE

The recent appearance of Willie Crawford in "haole" clothes has caused some wonder as to his motive, for ever since Crawford, who is a full-blooded Hawaiian, was a child he has worn Chinese clothes and developed a queue as well.

The secret is out that Crawford has political aspirations, and since he was elected a delegate to the Republican Territorial convention he desires to receive a nomination to the lower house of the legislature. To this end the Chinese coat was shucked and he now wears the negligee costume of the foreigner.

"And another thing," said Crawford confidentially yesterday, "I'll probably cut my queue off."

Crawford has enjoyed the distinction of being a "Chinaman" without having a drop of Chinese blood in him. He speaks three languages—English, Hawaiian and Chinese, and is fluent in each.

ATKINSON OFF FOR MAUI ISLE

Secretary of the Territory Atkinson, accompanied by his secretary, James Lloyd, leave today on the steamship Hawaiian for Kahului to spend a week on Maui. They will then proceed to Hilo and stay there until the Republican convention is over.